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# HAMMER NAZI ESCAPE ROUTES

## GERMANS ROLLED BACK FROM COAST COUNTRY POSITIONS

### STAND OF HITLER FORCES IN HOLLAND CLAIMED DISINTEGRATING

By ALTON L. BLAKESLEE  
Associated Press War Editor  
Allied troops rolled retreating German back upon congested and bloody crossings of the Maas river along a 50-mile front north of Antwerp today, and a British officer declared the stand of perhaps 40,000 Nazis in this coastal corner of Holland had disintegrated.

Canadian, British, American and Polish troops were spearheading this drive. The Germans' central bastion of Breda fell Sunday, and the city of Roosendaal was the only original stronghold left to cover the enemy withdrawal to the Maas below Rotterdam.

In the Schelde Estuary, British and Canadian forces had joined hands on south Beveland island, and were within about a mile of the causeway to Walcheren island, last Schelde barrier where German guns had commanded the water approaches to Antwerp. South of the estuary, the Breskens pocket had been almost eliminated, with Canadians seizing Cadzand and Zuidzande.

On the east flank in Holland, the Germans threw in strong armored pressure in apparent efforts to prevent the rout in the Antwerp sector. In three days the enemy took at least two towns from American troops, but doughboys aided by British artillery and planes had apparently stabilized the front for the present.

In Aachen Sector  
Patrols were active near the Aachen sector, and Allied planes over the weekend badly ripped German communications from south of Cologne to north of Aachen, forerunner of a possible new offensive.

Moscow was silent on a German-reported drive to clear the Nazis still holding along the Baltic sea, and gave no details of the invasion of East Prussia. But further south the Soviets announced capture of Csap (Cep) on the upper Tisza river, cutting the last railway held by the Germans out of northeastern Hungary. The Soviets taking Csap had advanced 50 miles through mountains of eastern Czechoslovakia.

Berlin declared the Russians had struck to the Priekule area 20 miles southeast of Liepaja on the Baltic coast, of Latvia, and taken Auce, 70 miles east of that port. The Germans also declared that Red army blows near Ebenrode and Gumbinnen in East Prussia were weakening.

In Italy, Fifth army men scored

## OPTIMISM IN FOURTH TERM CAMP; FDR MAY SPEAK ONCE MORE

### DEWEY HAS THREE FULL-FLEDGED SPEAKING DATES FOR FINAL WEEK

By J. W. DAVIS  
Associated Press Staff Writer  
Optimism in the fourth term camp was voiced by White House today with a hint that President Roosevelt will make only one more major campaign speech at Boston, probably Saturday night.

Presidential Secretary Stephen Early confirmed the Boston appearance and said "it would seem" Saturday would be the date, but at the same time he indicated rumors of an Ohio appearance would not materialize.

Governor Dewey has three full-fledged speaking engagements on his calendar for the final week of the campaign: the first at Buffalo, N. Y., tomorrow night. Early, discussing Mr. Roosevelt's future political plans with newspapermen today, told them Mr. Roosevelt indicated to his advisers that he could go either to Massachusetts or Ohio, but not both.

Early reported Mr. Roosevelt "feeling fine" after his 2,000-mile trip through seven states, concluded yesterday.

Forecast Vote of 44,000,000.  
State officials now estimate that more than 44,000,000 persons will vote in the election a week from tomorrow.

And an unestimated amount of political oratory and other energy remains to be directed at getting these votes into what, variously, are held to be the right camps.

Much of the rest of the campaign will be packed into the eastern and northeastern states, with President Roosevelt and Governor Dewey both headed for Boston in the battle for Massachusetts.

The total vote estimate of 44,000,000.



MISSING IN ACTION—Staff Sgt. Louis W. Tirado, veteran of the 36th Division, awarded the Purple Heart decoration, is now reported missing in action in France since September 22, according to a message from the war department received by Anita R. Garcia, Kerns Route Two. The son of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Tirado, former Corsicana residents, Sgt. Tirado entered the service January 23, 1941, and has been overseas with the 36th Division, infantry, since April 1943.

## Western Germany Points Attacked By U. S. Heavies

LONDON, Oct. 30.—(AP)—More than 800 U. S. heavy bombers attacked Hamm, Munster and the two cities of Hamburg-Harburg today.

Germany's largest freight yards are at Hamm and the 36th largest serving the western front are at Munster. Hamburg area targets were oil refineries and processing plants.

The Fortresses and Liberators were outnumbered by 950 escort fighters, many of which veered off on transport-hunting missions over the English coast.

The three-pronged daylight attack followed another sharp attack on Berlin by RAF Mosquitos last night.

The fast little Mosquitos also rained fat and wide-area incendiary bombs on the city and targets. Sweeping the areas from Peenemunde to Dresden and Stuttgart to Frankfurt, they knocked out at least 14 trains and left several others burning.

From more than a dozen operations by American and British planes over the weekend, beginning with a double attack on Berlin, fewer than 15 bombers and fighters are missing.

Cologne, one of the next major cities in front of the American army on the road to Berlin—hit five times, once by nearly 1,000 British heavies that gave the city its worst peaking of the war.

Metz—two big German guns that at least one 12,000 pounder as it was caught trying to sneak from Norway to Kiel.

Walcheren island—heavy attack on eight gun emplacements covering approaches to Antwerp Harbor.

Southern Germany—two attacks on various rail and industrial targets by U. S. 15th airforce bombers based in Italy.

Metz—two big German guns that had been firing at U. S. troops sealed in a tunnel by American fighter-bombers.

## THIRD FLEET CARRIER PLANES SINK, DAMAGE THREE JAP CRUISERS

### AT LEAST 90 PLANES DESTROYED ON LUZON ISLAND RAIDS

PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Pearl Harbor, Oct. 30.—(AP)—Third Fleet carrier planes probably sank one heavy cruiser, damaged two others and an oil tanker and destroyed at least 90 Japanese aircraft in renewed raids over Luzon island in the Philippines Saturday and Sunday.

They also destroyed three coast-guard vessels near Cebu, Adm. Chester W. Nimitz reported in a communique today.

Although Nimitz did not say, it was considered probable that the three cruisers might have been refueled from last week's naval battle in the Sibuyan Sea, Bernardino Strait.

One of the heavy cruisers previously damaged probably was sunk and second damaged in Manila Bay. The third cruiser was caught off Cavite and severely damaged by two 1,000 pound bombs.

The tanker was damaged by a 1,000 pound bomb in the Manila area, probably Clark and Nicholas, which have been hit several times in recent weeks, again were attacked by carrier planes.

The Japanese made futile attempts to prevent the attacks and to hit one of Adm. William F. Halsey's carrier groups. Twelve enemy fighters and dive-bombers shot down near the carriers Saturday and two more on Sunday.

By LEONARD MILLMAN  
Associated Press War Editor  
Fresh from sinking or damaging 58 Japanese warships in the great naval victory of the Pacific war, American task forces are hurling hundreds of carrier planes across Luzon island at Manila from waters scarcely 100 miles away.

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## LAST RAIL ESCAPE ROUTE FOR GERMANS IN HUNGARY IS CUT

### BERLIN REPORTS FURTHER RUSSIAN GAINS ON NORTHERN FRONT

LONDON, Oct. 30.—(AP)—The last rail escape route for Germans in Northeastern Hungary was blocked by the Russians today with capture of Csap on the upper Tisza river, while to the north Berin reported further Russian gains in the liquidation of an estimated 100,000 Nazis pinned against the Baltic Sea.

Csap, junction of four rail lines at the southwestern edge of liberated Ruthenia, was occupied yesterday by troops of Gen. Ivan Patriy's Fourth Ukrainian army which fought their way 50 miles across mountainous Eastern Czechoslovakia, Moscow announced.

A Berlin announcement said Soviet troops attacking in Western Latvia had penetrated to the Priekule area 20 miles southeast of the Baltic port of Liepaja, and had captured Auce, communications center 70 miles east of Liepaja.

The Moscow communique, one of the briefest in weeks, did not confirm the Berlin reports on the Latvia offensive, nor did it mention the East Prussian front, where heavy fighting has been raging along the Kaunas-Konigsberg highway.

Berlin said Soviet attacks against the thick German defenses committed Eberrode and south of Bumbinnen, important highway points, were growing weaker.

The Moscow communique asserted that fighting only of local importance occurred along most of the vast battlefields scattered from the Arctic to the Balkans.

Nazis Unprepared for Winter.  
MOSCOW, Oct. 30.—(AP)—With winter weather setting in and the Red army consolidating its fronts from the Barents Sea to the Balkans, Russian field dispatches said today the German army was again unprepared for cold weather fighting.

Interviews with prisoners and observation of captured German

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GENERAL MACARTHUR RETURNS TO PHILIPPINES—General Douglas MacArthur (left), with Lt. Gen. Richard Sutherland at his side, wades through the surf as he returns to the Philippines to direct the American invasion of the Jap-held American possession. (AP Wirephoto)

## STILWELL'S RECALL PLUNGES CHINA INTO NEW GENERAL CRISIS

### SOME HOPE THAT GENERALISSIMO CHIANG MAY BE ABLE TO WIN OUT

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—(AP)—China has been plunged headlong into a new military and political crisis by the recall of Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell to Washington.

Information reaching here indicates that decisions which must be made in Chungking in the next three to four weeks may well determine the fate of the Chinese war effort from now on.

Among American officials there is hope, but little real confidence, that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek will be able to put his military and political affairs in order without further delay.

High strategy of the war against Japan hangs on the outcome. Allied strategy has called for a drive across the Pacific, via the Philippines, to the China coast and a drive from interior China to the Japanese coast.

Until this could be accomplished, the aim was to keep pressure on the Japanese from forward bases which had to be protected by Chinese armies. Recently the Japanese have forced evacuation of some of the best of these bases.

Gains Elsewhere.  
In a sense their place has been taken, however, by bases on the Pacific side, in the Saipan-Guam area and now in the Philippines.

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## Estimated More Than 44,000,000 To Vote November 7th

### WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—(AP)—On the basis of incomplete registrations and qualified estimates of voters, state officials figure roughly that more than 44,000,000 persons will vote in next week's Presidential election, including 3,392,000 service men and women.

This compares with the 40,815,311 who actually cast ballots in the 1940 election but takes into account wartime dislocations in estimating the overall decrease, despite heavy registrations in big cities.

The state officials' minimum estimate compiled by the Associated Press today was 44,102,000. This was raised to 44,637,000 when higher figures were taken into account in eight states where officials gave varying estimates.

The vote forecasts were based on a combined estimate by these state officials of 10,746,625 registrants other eligibles, compared with 60,576,979 estimated to have qualified for the 1940 election. These officials emphasized that official registration figures are kept only in a dozen states and that hence their estimates of eligibles must necessarily be largely guesswork.

The census bureau estimates the number of "potential voters" as 21 years of age and over—88,600,000 this year, an increase of more than 8,000,000 in four years, with women of voting age now exceeding the men for the first time by more than 800,000. Males were computed at 44,943,689 and females at 44,662,870.

It estimated 7,800,000 males in the armed forces over 21.

In Texas this year an estimated 6,000,000.

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## LARGE NUMBER OF WORKERS SEEKING WAR CHEST FUNDS

### GENERAL SOLICITATION CITY AND COUNTY STARTED MONDAY MORNING

Every man, woman and child in Corsicana and Navarro county will have the opportunity of making a personal contribution to the Navarro County War Chest.

In fact contributions must be spontaneous, liberal and unanimous on the part of the citizenship if the grand total of \$25,000 for the city and county is reached.

Workers Enthusiastic.  
The Kick-Off breakfast Monday morning starting the general solicitation was largely attended with a high per cent of the workers present. All were enthusiastic and optimistic as to the final outcome.

Approximately 3,000 cards and 25 major employments groups were distributed to forty men workers making up the teams under the leadership of C. K. Cate and Gale Goldberg. R. S. Reading is the general chairman of the campaign and is directing activities in the city and Advance Gifts.

Festus A. Pierce, advance gifts chairman, Monday reported a total of \$20,950 pledged.

Additional advance gifts include: B. J. Roberts, previously \$17,833.00; Sidney K. Bietz, 250.00; Butler-Calhoun Co., 400.00; Civilian Club, 150.00; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Love, 150.00; Pines-U-Gandy Co., 100.00; Sears, Roebuck & Co., 110.00; S.W. Bell Telephone Co., 325.00; Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Stroube, 350.00; W. C. Stroube, 250.00; Will Thompson, 330.00; Lumber Co., 225.00; Caroline M. Wood, 150.00; F. W. Woolworth Co., 112.00; Corsicana Dr. Pepper Bottling Company, 225.00; Mrs. J. W. David, 100.00; Dr. J. Wilson David, 100.00; J. M. Dyer Co., 500.00; Luther A. Johnson, 131.00; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McCammon, Mr. and Mrs. Blanche McKie and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. McKie, 750.00; A. F. Mitchell, 440.00; Dr. E. H. Newton, 300.00; Capt. and Mrs. Armistead Rust, 100.00; Ed Wendover, 110.00; Wolens Foundation, 1,500.00.

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## TANKS AND PLANES PAGE ALLIED FORCES IN HOLLAND SECTOR

### GERMAN ESCAPE BRIDGES OBJECTIVES OF MAD RACE ON MONDAY

LONDON, Oct. 30.—(AP)—Allied columns pelted by tanks and planes reeled for the German escape bridges and ferries across the broad Maas and Hollandschlepp in Holland only five to 12 miles away today and Berlin radio asserted that a major withdrawal across that barrier to Rotterdam was in full swing.

Allied troops, breaking into the last of the chain of strongpoints before the Maas, entered Roosendaal, a city of 25,000, 12 miles south of the Wilhelmstad ferry across the Diep, the sea arm of the river.

American armor plunked to within six miles of the Moerdijk bridge, one of the longest spans in Europe, and other forces fought to within three miles of the Kester and five miles from the Geerttruidenberg crossing by capturing Costerout northeast of fallen Breda.

Cut Into Four Pockets.  
The German stand in all southeastern Holland and northern Belgium has been cut into four pockets, and military spokesmen said the German force was disintegrating under the concerted pounding.

The four pockets were below the Maas where the chief resistance center of Breda had been taken; a second pocket on flooded Walcheren island, virtually cut off by a Canadian drive to within 3,000 yards of the causeway connecting with Beveland; and a tiny six mile long, four mile wide corner of Beveland south of the Scheldt.

The drive across flooded lowlands, laced by canals and dikes, in the campaign to clear the Schelde approach to the Allied harbor of Antwerp, was gaining momentum and approaching a conclusion after some of the most difficult fighting of the war.

On Walcheren the remnants of German forces were fighting from islands within the island—bits of land and raised dikes around the principal cities of Vlissingen (Flushing) and Middelburg which stood above the flood waters loosed by Allied bombing of the sea walls. The Germans admitted many of their guns were under eight feet of water.

New Dunkerque Attack.  
The German high command said other Canadians, after a violent artillery bombardment, had launched a major attack on Dunkerque, Belgium, and captured the port of France, and had achieved a "temporary" penetration.

Canadians and British fighting westward on Beveland north of the Schelde had taken the chief German command post, the pocket of Heinkensand to within 3,000 yards of the causeway to Walcheren, virtually cutting the connecting link. They had captured nearly 4,000 of the 11,000 garrison on the two islands.

Below the Schelde they had driven south until they had pushed the Germans entirely out of Holland into Belgium where the Germans held a six-mile coastal strip northwest of Brugge, including the port of Zeebrugge, and Heyst, and running inland four miles to the town of Sluis. Cad-

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INTERNATIONAL  
CRIMINALS

It is generally assumed in  
free countries that when, or  
if, Adolf Hitler is caught,  
he will be tried and punished  
for his enormous crimes. But  
Dorothy Thompson raises  
the interesting question of  
what legal authority there  
can be for such punishment,  
however richly it may be  
deserved.

Thus, she observes, it has  
become a crime in the con-  
science of mankind to wage  
an aggressive war, but "it is  
no crime in law." Hitler  
might possibly be tried on  
criminal charges under the  
Weimar constitution, still  
existing at least in theory,  
but "a smart lawyer could  
make a persuasive case that  
everything he had done was  
formally legal."

It will be recalled that at  
the close of the last world  
war, when Kaiser Wilhelm  
was arraigned on criminal  
charges of responsibility for  
the great crime, an interna-  
tional tribunal which want-  
ed to hang him finally gave  
up the effort and let him go  
free.

"It has always been fu-  
tile," says Miss Thompson,  
"to believe that Fascism  
could be liquidated by the  
forms of law by which we  
try ordinary criminals in  
constitutional states. A new  
justice has to be born, and  
a new law created, and it will  
be born in revolutionary tri-  
bunals because there are no  
other tribunals."

Very well. If a "revolu-  
tionary tribunal" is needed  
to hand out criminal justice  
to Hitler, when the time  
comes, it should be created  
and the job done. If there  
is no such law in the law  
books, then it is time for  
civilized nations to write  
one, and use it for the pun-  
ishment and control of great  
international crimes.

## DELAYED VICTORY

It is no wonder that, of  
the two wars in which we  
are engaged, interest now  
centers mainly on the Ger-  
mans. They prove to be  
tougher than the Japs, and  
more dangerous. Judging  
from their defense at Aach-  
en, they are determined to  
fight bitterly, and to the  
last German, for every foot  
of land they yield. In spite  
of the encircling ring of Al-  
lies and their own dwind-  
ling resources, they prob-  
ably feel that, with Hitler's  
determination and resource-  
fulness, they still have a  
chance to win.

So the two powerful  
groups—the Germans and  
the Allies—may carry on  
this war more bitterly, and  
for a longer period, than  
Americans have expected.

The Allies have no reason  
to change policy or "swap  
horses in mid-stream." They  
are aware of their superior  
power, and confident of  
victory. But there is less in-  
clination just now to expect  
complete and final victory  
as soon as most Americans  
had been expecting. From  
present indications, the road  
to Berlin is still hard and  
rocky.

WISDOM OF RIGHT-  
EHOUSNESS

People in modern times,  
especially Americans, tend  
to scorn the ancient days,  
but there was wisdom in  
them. A columnist delving  
into the Hebrew Talmud,  
a sort of encyclopedia pro-  
duced in the fifth century A.  
D., finds the following rather  
modern passages:

"Of three, the Lord pro-  
claims every day: Of a  
bachelor who lives in a  
large city and does not sin;  
of a poor man who returns  
lost property to the owner;

## Edgar A. Guest

## AFTERWARDS

'Tis said of those who pass away:  
They've done with loss and gain  
And scornful words their foes may  
say

And fear and grief and pain.

'Tis said they've found eternal  
bliss

And deep content and peace,  
And walk a better world than this  
Where all men's quarrels cease.

And that is why they seem to  
smile

And show no sign of tears.  
They've learned how brief the  
little while

They measured here in years.

of a rich man who pays his  
taxes without grumbling."

Also: "There are three  
who are beloved by the  
Holy One: He who never  
gets angry, he who never  
gets drunk, and he who does  
not insist on all his rights."  
And on the other hand:  
"There are three who are  
hated by the Holy One: He  
who says one thing with his  
mouth and another thing in  
his heart; he who possesses  
evidence in favor of his  
neighbor and does not testi-  
fy for him; and he who saw  
an indecent act of his neigh-  
bor and is the only one to  
testify against him."

## THE TIME FACTOR

Americans who have been  
blithely prophesying an  
early end of the European  
war are not so confident  
lately. Here we are getting  
on toward the end of Octo-  
ber, without much indica-  
tion of an early German col-  
lapse such as people have  
been led to expect. The im-  
portant border city of  
Aachen has been captured,  
but only after such a terri-  
fic fight that it had to be  
destroyed in the process.  
Such operations take many  
men and much material, and  
also use up time. What if  
Germany proved to be doz-  
ens of Aachens, to be reduc-  
ed slowly, with great ef-  
fort?

There is no reason to be  
pessimistic about the war,  
but it may be wise to make  
a larger allowance for the  
essential element of time.  
The Germans might hold out  
strongly enough to drag  
weeks into months. General  
Eisenhower himself has hint-  
ed at such a possibility. The  
enemy may be all the more  
inclined to fight longer than  
the expected limit, because  
of the punishment assured  
and in the hope that "some-  
thing may turn up."

## MACARTHUR'S JOB

Much water has gone over  
the dam, and passed under  
the ships, since Gen. Doug-  
las MacArthur, two and a  
half years ago, was obliged  
to flee from Manila at night  
in a small boat, to escape  
capture at the hands of the  
Japanese invaders. He left  
his beloved Filipinos with  
regret and a sense of shame,  
but for a wise and generous  
purpose. His task was not to  
die with them, at the hands  
of a Jap firing squad, or to  
be kept as a hostage by the  
enemy, but to prepare for  
the liberation of the people  
he regarded almost as his  
own children. Along with  
the United States govern-  
ment he has labored for that  
purpose long and earnestly.  
And now at last the time of  
liberation has come.

There are people who  
call Gen. MacArthur a fa-  
natic, a poseur, and many  
other uncomplimentary  
things. To the average Amer-  
ican he may appear stiff,  
egotistical and over-digni-  
fied. But the traits of the  
old, formal school of war-  
fare and personal bearing  
in which he was reared still  
have their merits. Cer-  
tainly the experience of  
such a man, in the South Pa-  
cific with which he is so  
well acquainted, is inval-  
uable in the present situa-  
tion.

MacArthur is on the job  
now; and as the President  
announced, "the whole  
American nation exults in the  
news that the gallant men  
under his command have  
landed." They will soon be  
landing on the Japanese in-  
truders.

The most fanatical Nazis,  
according to reports, have  
been put in the front lines  
because of their fighting  
qualities. While this may de-  
lay the Allied advance now,  
it may be a good thing in  
the long run. It means fewer un-  
reconstructed Nazis to deal  
with after the war.

## HOT SPOT

Goings and Comings  
Of Fairfield Folk

FAIRFIELD, Oct. 28.—(Sp.)—  
Mrs. Fred Clark and daughter,  
Sonya, of Hamilton are spending  
the week with Mrs. Jim McDon-  
ald.

Mrs. Everett Joel Lane and  
children and Mrs. J. R. Tate  
were in Mexico Thursday.

Miss Alma Lynn Grounds of  
Wichita spent the week end  
here with relatives.

Miss Joyce Kirgan of Fort  
Worth spent the week end here  
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
L. C. Kirgan.

Al Johnson Newman of Hunt-  
ville visited his parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. E. H. Newman, last week  
end.

Mrs. C. L. Williamson spent  
last week with her son, LaClair  
Williamson, S-2C, at Corpus Chris-  
ti.

Pvt. E. J. Dane of Camp Fan-  
tler, Tyler, spent the week end  
here with his family.

Mrs. E. E. Talley, Teague; Mr.  
and Mrs. John Horton, Sinsboro;  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barryhill of  
Kerens attended the funeral of  
Mrs. Birdie McKinney here Fri-  
day morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bradley  
and family of Conroe spent last  
week end here with their parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bradley.

J. Hugh Bradley, staff officer  
of the S. E. Wm. M. Eastland is  
spending a few days here with his  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H.  
Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Florio Shick and  
sons, spent the week end here  
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
W. E. Newell.

Mrs. J. R. Tate accompanied  
her son, Pvt. James Tate, to Hous-  
ton Saturday. From there Pvt.  
Tate left for Miami, Fla., where  
he will be stationed.

Ray E. K. Shepherd and fam-  
ily are spending the week end  
with relatives at Floydada.

Mrs. Carlton Collins spent the  
week end with her husband, Pvt.  
Collins, who is stationed at Camp  
Folk.

Mrs. P. D. Browne and child-  
ren of Waco spent the week end  
here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. E. E. Talley of Teague  
spent Thursday visiting relatives  
and friends here.

So, M. C. Henry Steward who  
has been on sea duty, is here vi-  
siting relatives and friends.

Nephew Corsicana  
Woman Reported As  
Killed In Action

Pvt. Charles Buford Sipes, aged  
19 years, nephew of Mrs. W. S.  
Haynes, 521 North Beaton Street,  
was killed in action Sept. 24, in It-  
aly, according to information re-  
ceived by relatives. He was in the  
infantry. Pvt. Sipes, the son of  
Mr. and Mrs. Odie Sipes of Olney,  
Texas, frequently visited his aunt  
here.

JULIAN P. GREER  
MADE ADDRESS HERE  
THURSDAY NIGHT

Julian P. Greer, Elkhart school  
superintendent, legislator-elect and  
state senatorial candidate, ad-  
dressed the Navarro county super-  
intendents and principals associa-  
tion on "Pending Legislation"  
Thursday evening at the court-  
house.

The principals were requested to  
enroll all schools in the Junior Red  
Cross Campaign and go to the Red  
Cross headquarters for the neces-  
sary supplies. R. O. Flowers of  
Roane is chairman.

Plans were also discussed for  
meeting War Fund quotas in the  
community chest campaign.

The association will be reorgan-  
ized at its November session.

New Baptist Pastor  
Rev. W. E. Nunn, pastor of  
the Crescent Heights Baptist  
church in Athens the past four  
years, and also of the Payne  
Springs church, has resigned to  
accept the pastorate at Rice and  
Pettys Chapel Baptist churches.  
The Rev. and Mrs. Nunn and fam-  
ily have moved to Rice.

CARD OF THANKS  
We wish to take this method in  
expressing our love and apprecia-  
tion to every one who sent flowers,  
cards and the beautiful love offer-  
ing. We ask God's blessing to be  
upon each one. May you never  
have to suffer from such misfor-  
tune as our prayer.—Mr. and Mrs.  
John W. Davidson.

Navarro County  
Cotton Ginnings  
Are 21,946 Bales

There were 21,946 bales of cotton  
ginned in Navarro county from the  
1944 crop prior to Oct. 18, as com-  
pared with 27,125 at the same time  
last year according to figures re-  
leased Saturday by George Camp-  
bell, special agent.

Navarro PTA Met  
Thursday Afternoon

The Navarro Parents-Teachers  
Association meeting was called to  
order by the president, Mrs. Al-  
bert Beeman, at 3 o'clock on  
Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Oliver  
Forbes of Breese, Ill., president of  
her P.T.A., was presented by the  
president.

Mrs. Forbes chose "Loyalty" as  
her subject, emphasizing the im-  
portance of parents and teachers  
being loyal to the school commu-  
nity, etc., and stressed the impor-  
tance of teachers having their heart  
in their profession.

During the business session Mrs.  
Beeman resigned as president,  
stating that she would be moving  
soon. Vacancies filled were Mrs.  
V. C. Bailey, president, and Mrs.  
Owen Mullenix, vice president.

It was voted that any one of four  
attending the county council meet-  
ing Nov. 4th would represent the  
local P.T.A.

The secretary, Mrs. R. W. Mont-  
gomery, read the minutes and let-  
ters.

The treasurer, Mrs. G. C. Good-  
rich, reported that our portion of  
the week-end had been paid. It  
was also voted to pay the coun-  
ty council dues.

Eight were present.

Commendation For  
Corsicana Man

S-Sgt. John C. Johnson, U. S.  
Army Air Forces, Far East Air  
Service Command, is a member of  
the group recently receiving a let-  
ter of commendation from the lead-  
quarters of Lieut. General George  
Kenny, Commander of Allied  
Air Forces, commending the  
crews on "amount of work turned  
out—general efficiency—and main-  
stay of the Fifth Air Forces."

Sgt. Johnson, husband of Mrs.  
J. C. Johnson, Corsicana Route  
1, has been in C armed forces  
since September, 1942, and has  
oversaw for the past 12 months.  
Sgt. Johnson was engaged in farm-  
ing in the Black Hills community  
prior to enlisting in the air forces.

The W. L. Hardins  
Announce Arrival  
Of Baby Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hardin of  
Houston announce the arrival of  
a daughter, Oct. 15, in the St.  
Joseph's Infirmary. Weighing  
six pounds at birth, the baby was  
named Willie Beth.

Mr. Hardin was formerly em-  
ployed at the Kerens Tribune.  
Mrs. Hardin was formerly Eliza-  
beth Harris of Corsicana. The  
grandparents are Mr. and Mrs.  
L. A. Hardin of Kerens, and Mr.  
and Mrs. J. B. Harris of Rich-  
land.

Lynn Davis To Wed  
In Washington On  
Monday, October 30

Judge B. L. Davis and family  
have received word that Miss  
Lynn Davis, daughter of Lt. Col.  
and Mrs. Charles J. Davis, Wash-  
ington, D. C., formerly of Corsi-  
cana, and granddaughter of Judge  
Davis, and Lt. Jock Weir would be  
married on Monday, Oct. 30.

Miss Davis resided in Corsicana  
with her parents and attended  
school here before Col. and Mrs.  
Davis moved to Washington, where  
he is stationed. Lieut. Weir is a  
recent graduate of West Point.

Personal Mention  
Of Kerens Folk

KERENS, Oct. 27.—(Sp.)—Rev.  
and Mrs. Margaret Howell and chil-  
dren attended the North Texas  
Methodist Conference in Dallas  
Wednesday.

Betty Jo Smith left Wednesday  
morning for Gonzales to be with  
her father Walter A. Smith who  
was seriously injured in an auto-  
mobile accident near Luling Mon-  
day night.

Ross Coggin Texas U. student  
is visiting homefolks in Kerens  
this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Crawford have  
announced the arrival of a son,  
Timothy J., born Monday, Oct. 23  
at the P and S Hospital.

Bobby Coggin, Jr., of SMU is  
spending the week in Kerens with  
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby  
Coggin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hulan were  
Dallas visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McSweeney and  
son John Robert, and Mrs. Howard  
Coates and son Ray, spent Thurs-  
day afternoon in Corsicana.

Mrs. J. A. Conner of Mart visit-  
ed her mother, Mrs. Martha Dut-  
ton in Kerens Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stockton had  
as their guests this week Mrs. Sal-  
lie T. Manning of Waco and Mrs.  
Ben Simpson of Fort Worth, sis-  
ters of Mrs. Stockton.

Mrs. Frank Allen of Houston,  
Pfc. Katie Norton of Camp Cam-  
bell, Ky., and 1st Lt. Frank Allen  
of Delridge, La., and R. A. McMa-  
hon and son, Mike, of Jasper, were  
week-end guests in the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bain, Jr.

Mrs. W. L. Bain, Jr., and chil-  
dren, Joyce and Kenneth and Pfc.  
Katie Norton visited relatives in  
Cleburne, Monday.

The Women's Society of Chris-  
tian Service met Monday afternoon  
in the home of Mrs. Jack Pitt and  
concluded it's Fall Mission Study  
of Southeast Asia.

Mrs. Margaret  
Howell and Mrs. G. H. Sanders  
were in charge of the study course  
and Mrs. Ruby Baxter led the de-  
votional. Refreshments were ser-  
ved and a social hour enjoyed by 12  
members.

KERENS, Oct. 27.—(Sp.)—The  
M.Y.F. of the Methodist church met  
at the home of Miss Dixie Lee  
Spurlock Sunday night after  
church for a fellowship period and  
social hour with the young people  
of the Trinity Methodist  
church as their special guests.

The young people of the Baptist  
church met for their fellowship  
hour in the home of Mrs. Graves  
with Mrs. Weyman Price in charge  
of amusements.

The place of meeting of the fel-  
lowship hour is kept a strict secret  
each week and the young people  
are furnished with various clues  
each time in order to find the  
home in which it is held.

JUNIOR HI SCHOOL  
HONOR ROLL FIRST  
SIX WEEKS LISTED

Corsicana Junior High school  
honor roll for the first six weeks  
of the fall term as announced  
Friday afternoon by Gaston T.  
Goode, principal, included:  
Students making all A's—Patti  
John Bunch, Jean Cook, Jimmy  
Copeland, Jo Ella Deskin, Harry  
Fendley, Norman Goldberg, Perry  
Harnell, Allyn Heifner, Barbara  
Higdon, Jess Hilbert, Jr., Bobbie  
J. Holsey, Joan Holcombback,  
Douglas Jackson, Virginia Kelly,  
Dore McCormick, Elizabeth Mc-  
Quiston, J. Carroll McReynolds,  
Bettye Patrick, Bennie Poirach,  
Julia Ann Rankin, Katherine  
Register, Kenneth Renfrow, Inez  
Scott, Arline Shell, Ann Shrader,  
George Sullivan, Louise Sullivan,  
Jane Tatum, Jerry Wolens.

Students making 4 A's and no  
grade lower than B—Mary Chap-  
man Betty Joyce Copeland, John  
David, Mary Ellen Ferguson, Max-  
el Silverburg and Pat Trimble.  
Students making 3 A's and no  
grade lower than B—Patty Jane  
Andrews, George Baume, Lorene  
Bonner, Wayne Bower, A. J.  
Britton, Dwight Chappell, Billy  
Dan Clark, Audrey Daniels, Elsie  
Douglas, Lawrence Fauber, Jr.,  
Pat Guthrie, Wanda June Haw-  
kins.

Raquel Horn, Margaret John-  
son, Jerry McClintock, Norma  
Plyler, Virginia Metcalf, Ben  
Roberts, Dick Robinson, Mary  
Smith, Sue Trone, Chester Vaughn,  
Glennan White, Ellen Jeanne  
Willard.

Students making 4 A's and no  
grade lower than B—Wendell Col-  
lier, Helen Collier, Jimmie Gala-  
way, Bobbie Lou Grantham, Mary  
Guthrie, Foncine Kessinger, May-  
hna McCormick, Billy Earl Mc-  
Graw, Nancy Mire.

Dorothy Montgomery, Joyce  
Smith, Peggy Sponitz, Dorothy  
Jean Taylor, Betty Jo Turner,  
James Wallace, Betty Lou Wolens,  
Dora Lee Zube, Leon Wylie.

Students making 3 A's and no  
grade lower than B—Peggy Berry,  
Bobbie Brazzel, Lola Bristow,  
Martha Nell Chappell, Betty Jo  
Coffey, Louise Cummings, Tommie  
Dunn, Peggy Jean Furlan, Jack  
Jones, Dolores Just, Betty Mc-  
Glohen, Bob McNell, Nona Faye  
Travis, Billie Jean Tucker, Betty  
Wendorf, Donald Stewart.

Mrs. Birdie McKinney  
Died At Fairfield  
Thursday Afternoon

FAIRFIELD, Oct. 28.—(Sp.)—  
Mrs. Birdie McKinney, aged 59,  
died at the home of her brother L.  
C. Kirgan in Fairfield Thursday  
afternoon at 3:20 after a long ill-  
ness.

Mrs. McKinney was born at Mil-  
lspan and moved to Fairfield in her  
childhood and had made her home  
in this vicinity most of her life.

Funeral services were conducted  
by the Rev. J. Coy Williams, pas-  
tor of the First Methodist church  
at 10 o'clock Friday morning at  
the Fairfield cemetery.

Funeral services were George Barn-  
hill, Kirven, John Horton, Sins-  
boro; J. R. Sessions, John Mona-  
han, Frank Peyton and J. R. Tate  
of Fairfield.

Survivors are one brother, L. C.  
Kirgan of Fairfield and a large  
number of nieces and nephews.

Kerens Bridge Club  
Met On Thursday

KERENS, Oct. 27.—(Sp.)—Mrs.  
William Bain was hostess to the  
Thursday Bridge club Oct. 26 at  
her home in West Kerens with two  
table playing.

High score awards went to Mrs.  
Elsie Wells. Invited guests were  
Mrs. Joe G. Sheppard, Jr. and Mrs.  
F. J. Fleck and Mrs. James Taylor.

The state dining room in the  
White House can seat 100 guests.

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FEARLESS LEADERSHIP  
IMPERATIVE

Lt. Col. James E. Taylor of Kerens, Texas, commander of  
the 131st Field Artillery Battalion, has been awarded the Silver  
Star for "masterful leadership and skillful organization. The  
determination and accomplishments of this battalion were a  
vital factor in delivering the most crushing blow suffered by  
the enemy forces in Italy. One of its more outstanding accom-  
plishments in France was participation in the destruction of  
German vehicles and guns while blocking the escape of large  
enemy forces in the Rhone Valley."

This same leadership was evident when Col. Taylor was a  
Texas legislator. THE TIMES DEMAND FEARLESS LEADER-  
SHIP. Let us avail ourselves of it, and elect Lt. Col. James E.  
Taylor to the office of State Senator for the Sixth Congressional  
District of Texas.

If Elected, Col. Taylor Can Serve Us!

(Paid Political Advertisement)

CPL. JAMES HIGHNOTE  
SENDS SOUVENIRS OF  
EUROPEAN SECTOR

Cpl. James Highnote, U. S. Ar-  
my, son of Mrs. Lottie Highnote,  
1105 South Eighteenth street, has  
sent a number of souvenirs from  
the European area, particularly  
from Germany. A recent letter  
from the corporal stated he was  
somewhere in Germany and "that  
he was going all the way after  
Hitler." He enclosed a bill from  
Belgium, Germany and a 12 and  
20 cent stamp on which was Hit-  
ler's picture. Among souvenirs  
sent home by the corporal are a  
German belt buckle, pairs of wood-  
en shoes, several bracelets and  
a number of coins from Germany  
and France.

Mrs. Highnote also has received  
a recent letter from Sgt. Joseph  
Highnote, another son in the arm-  
ed forces, stating that he was able  
to walk about at an English hos-  
pital where he is convalescing from  
wounds received in France Aug.  
14.

The first armored car in the  
Marine Corps was placed in ac-  
tivity in 1918.

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Special—orders must be

placed as soon as possible.

SEE OUR

COMPLETE LINE



## SIX ALARMS, FIVE OF THEM GRASS FIRES, DURING WEEKEND

Six alarms were answered during the weekend by the fire department but no large losses were sustained.

A grass fire at the Burke Bros. ranch on Highway 31 caused a run at 2:30 p. m. Saturday.

Another grass run two miles southeast of Corsicana on Highway 287 was made at 6 p. m. Saturday and a grass run was answered at 7:25 p. m. near Lake Halbert.

A grass fire at the Fullerton store at intersection of North Beaton and North Thirteenth streets, caused a run at 1:15 p. m. Sunday.

Damage estimated at \$150 was caused by a blaze of unknown origin Sunday at 4:30 p. m. at the residence of Paul R. 1108 West Seventh avenue. The house is owned by B. V. Moore.

A grass fire was answered Sunday at 5:30 p. m. on Columbia avenue.

## THE WAR TODAY

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Industrial centers of the Ruhr and the Saar. These two regions together represent between 60 and 70 per cent of Germany's heavy industry and over four-fifths of her steel supplies. And he reaches this grim conclusion:

"The arrival of the Allied armies on the Rhine will entail the total destruction of a high proportion of Germany's heavy industry, upon which all her war production ultimately depends. In addition, Silesia and the great industrial centers of Czechoslovakia are now indirectly threatened by the Russian offensive."

So if the Allies are held up at the Rhine, they won't be wasting any time. Also, what we do wish long distance runs won't have to be done by soldiers at close quarters—and that's an inestimable boon.

## VOTES

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1,587,000 persons are eligible to vote. Of this number it is estimated one million persons, including 80,000 service men and women, will cast ballots.

In the last Presidential election year 1944, Texans cast 1,041,168 votes.

## AERIAL

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Bridges—one large bridge across the river Tussel at Apeldoorn, Holland, and another over the river Maas at Roermond, destroyed by RAF medium bombers.

## THE OLD RELIABLE

If you need a good laxative or cathartic to relieve headache, biliousness, or that lazy tired feeling when due to temporary constipation, ask for and be sure you get

HERBINE  
JOHNSON'S PHARMACY  
RED'S PHARMACY

## PETE SAYS

THE MORE REASONABLE WE ARE IN OUR EXPECTATIONS, THE FEWER DISAPPOINTMENTS.



PETE ALSO SAYS: When you bring your prescriptions to us you can be sure of fair, reasonable treatment in price, quality ingredients and prompt service!

JOHNSON'S  
Prescription  
PHARMACY  
PHONE 56 DELIVERY.

## RATIONING ROUNDUP

AS OF MONDAY, OCT. 30.  
By The Associated Press.  
MEATS, FATS, ETC.—Book 4 red stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through F5 valid indefinitely. No more will be validated until Dec. 3.

PROCESSED FOODS—Book 4 blue stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through F5 valid indefinitely. Stamps S5 through W5 valid Nov. 1 and good indefinitely.

SUGAR—Book 4 stamps 30 through 33 valid indefinitely for five pounds each. Stamp 40 good for five pounds for home canning through Feb. 28, 1945.

SHOES—Book 3 airplane stamps 1 and 2 good indefinitely. Airplane stamp 3 becomes valid Nov. 1 and will be good indefinitely.

GASOLINE—3A coupons good for 4 gallons through Dec. 21. B4, C4, B5 and C5 coupons good for 5 gallons.

## YOUNG FRENCH GIRL AND HUSBAND GAVE AMERICANS AID

By GEORGE TUCKER  
CASTRES, France, Oct. 29.—(Delayed)—A young French girl and her English speaking husband provided information that enabled American forces to move and almost destroy a German armored division north of Apignon, it was learned today.

The names of the two may not be disclosed presently because relatives of prisoners in Germany, but they live only a few miles from here. During the four years of occupation no less than 38 German officers were billeted in their home.

What their uninvited guests never learned was that the young wife, who looks as though she had just attended a live session of bob-box swing fans, and her husband, who learned to speak English at Leeds, were in constant radio communication with London.

The radio transmitter was concealed in the bedroom of the house next door and its operator was a special agent from London.

Once a week the young girl drove to Bordeaux and once a week her husband drove to Marseille bringing up information along the way. Twice during the final months of occupation, a German mobile detector designed to ferret out clandestine wireless units worked its way directly to the young woman's house but as the commander of the German troops in the area lived there, no suspicion fell on the house and the baffled detector crew continued elsewhere their quest.

The German troops in this area were the ones who burned alive 1,300 men and women at Oradour Sur Glane in June of this year. On the night the German armored division began its pell mell retreat, the young wife and husband transmitted every move the nazis made to military authorities. Their pinpoint description of the position of the Germans enabled American troops literally to hack it to pieces. Their detailed description also made it possible for U. S. bombers and fighters to harass it and interrupt its flight day and night.

**Hallowe'en Carnival**  
The Football Team and 1st Squad Girls of Rice are sponsoring a Hallowe'en Carnival Tuesday night, Oct. 31, at the Rice school house. Everybody invited.

**Moved**  
Heifetz Bros. Garage has moved from 119 W. Four Avenue to 111 W. Third Avenue. Four your auto mechanical troubles bring your car to us.  
HEIFETZ BROS. GARAGE  
111 W. Third Avenue, Phone 2165.

## Works Fine For Sore Throat Due To Colds

Put a Little VapoRub On Your Tongue  
It's really wonderful the way a little Vicks VapoRub put on the tongue works to relieve sore throat due to colds! VapoRub's medication soothes the soreness as its vapors help relieve irritation in upper bronchial tubes... helps clear the head, making breathing easier.  
For Added Relief rub VapoRub on throat, chest and back. Let its famous penetrating-stimulating action keep on working for hours to relieve distress as you sleep. Vicks VapoRub is time-tested, home-proved... the best known home remedy for relieving miseries of colds.

**VICKS VAPORUB**

AVOID THE USUAL CHRISTMAS RUSH... USE OUR LAY-AWAY PLAN... SHOP EARLY!

## RINGS OF LASTING BEAUTY



TO KEEP FOREVER... The symbol of everlasting love, must be a lovely wedding ring. Wedding Rings and other Rings for every wish and need—at a price range to please anyone.

**Sam Daiches**  
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218 N. BEATON ST.

## LARGE NUMBER OF ABSENTEE VOTES ARE BEING CAST

A total of 210 absentee votes have been cast for the approaching general election, it was revealed Monday at the office of Mable Wilkinson, county clerk. Scores of ballots have been mailed to persons wanting to vote that have not been returned. Absentee voting will close Friday, November 3. A total of 76 votes have been cast since Thursday at the clerk's office.

Following are those voting absentee and not previously reported: J. M. Dyer, Ward 3; Mrs. H. Stroube, Jr., Ward 3; M. Lacy Rice, Ward 3; Matthew H. Arnold, Ward 3; W. J. Ashton, Pursley; Louise T. Jordan, Blooming Grove; Lena T. Stone, Blooming Grove; Earl R. Murray, Ward 2; R. R. Rouse, Ward 3; J. Crocker, Blooming Grove; A. D. Belt, Ward 4; Harry F. Chestnut, Ward 4; Mrs. H. F. Chestnut, Ward 4.

Margaret Sutton, Zion's Rest; George T. Brown, Ward 3; R. R. Range, Ward 3; W. H. Wiggins, Blooming Grove; Jack Morris, Ward 3; L. S. Lee, Ward 2; M. M. Sanders, Ward 3; Carl Ashworth, Ward 3; Robert Meeker, Raleigh; Loyce Michaels, Galveston; Dawson; Bette Schutz, Flatonia; Dawson; Joel C. Trimble, Austin Ward 4; R. O. English, Houston; Frost; Pvt. E. D. McCormick, Fort Sam Houston, Ward 3.

M. W. Anderson, Belmead; Richmond; Mrs. M. W. Anderson, Belmead; Richard; C. A. Creach, Fort Worth; Navarro Mills; Mrs. Jack Michaels, Galveston; Dawson; J. E. Carson, Vernon; Ward No. 3; Melita K. Fendley, Dallas; Ward 3; Miss Mary Kenner, Midland; Chatfield; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew G. Steele, Grand Prairie, Ward 2.

W. E. Butler, Sweetwater, Purdon; S. H. Hornbeak, Malvern, Ark.; Ward 4; P. Wilbur O. Armstrong, Greenville, S. C.; Emhouse; Capt. George F. Hart, Chicago, Ill.; Ward 3; W. D. Tucker, E. M. I-C, Camp Parks, Calif.; Corbett; Capt. and Mrs. R. P. Marshall, Camp Maxey, Ward 4; Mrs. E. J. Jeffers, Dallas; Ward 2; Mrs. Edward E. Kilgore, Dyersburg, Tenn.; Ward 4.

Mrs. F. R. Lindley, Washington, D. C.; Ward 3; Mrs. R. W. Amason, Orange, Ward 3; Hubert Melton, Washington, D. C.; Drane; W. R. McChesney, Dallas; Kerens; Mr. and Mrs. W. Franklin Seale, Los Angeles, Calif.; Ward 4; Cpl. Charles W. Walkup, New Orleans, La.; Dawson; Pfc. Allen T. Fouty, Waco; Zion's Rest; Mrs. S. C. Bagby, Dumas; Ward 4.

Ramsey; Cox; Ward 3; Dr. D. B. Currie, Pharr; Kerens; Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Crofford, Orange, Ward 3; Mrs. L. W. Graham, Chandler, Ward 3; Mrs. Lillian Kelly, Austin; Ward 3; Mrs. Louise Hervey, Austin; Ward 3; Miss Mabel Malry, Lufkin; Ward 4; Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ransom, Austin; Ward 3; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Feagins, Rice; Evelyn Collins, Houston; Emhouse; LaVerne Collins, Houston; Emhouse.

Emmett Bascom, Doss, S. I-C, San Francisco, Calif.; Ward 3; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Edwards, Houston; Dawson; Capt. and Mrs. Louis A. Labe, Dallas; Ward 4; Mr. and Mrs. H. Richardson, Lubbock; Ward 3; John C. Wilson, Tulsa, Okla.; Ward 4.

**WORLD WAR II MEN LARGER THAN THOSE OF FIRST WORLD WAR**

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE  
Associated Press Science Editor.  
NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—(AP)—Ten million American soldiers of this war aggregate 98 miles taller than a similar number of their fathers would have totaled in World War I.

They weigh 46,100 more tons. They are a healthier lot. The height and weight figures come from adding up data in a report of the army service forces, office of the surgeon general, medical statistics division, Washington.

This report says that the 1943 inductees average sixty-two hundredths of an inch taller than recruits of 1917. Average height, present war, five feet and eleven-one hundredths inches; World War I, five feet seven and forty-nine hundredths inches. In weight this war's inductees average ninety-two and twenty-two hundredths pounds heavier. The respective weights are 150.78 against 141.54 pounds.

The nation's 4-Fs fall in a class between the present inductees and the 1917 recruits in both height and weight. The 4-Fs are twenty-nine hundredths of an inch shorter than their brothers of this war. They are sixty-six hundredths of a pound lighter.

**Start Saving Now**  
For the next Big Waste Paper and Magazine Drive for Sunday afternoon, Nov. 12. Assist by filling bundles securely on all four sides. Drive will be under auspices Lions Club and Boy Scouts.

## 100 Turkey Pickers Needed

Help us process turkeys for the United States Armed Forces. Hold a vital war job and make up to \$15 a day. Work will be steady (no German prisoners will be used this year), and start Monday, Nov. 6th. Over half the feathers will be picked by two new large turkey picking machines.

Come in and Sign up this Week.  
**Corsicana Poultry and Egg Co. Inc.**  
301 N. COMMERCE • PHONE 219  
"Navarro County's Leading Producer Buyers."

## POLITICS

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000,000 plus, which includes 3,392,000 men and women was compiled by the Associated Press from state officers who did their figuring on the basis of incomplete registrations and estimates of otherwise qualified voters. It compares with the actual total of 40,815,312 in 1940.

**Saturday Night Speeches**  
Mr. Roosevelt is expected in Boston Saturday night; his Republican opponent is to speak there Wednesday night, reserving his own last - Saturday - night-before-the-election spot for Madison Square Garden in New York.

Dewey is spending today in Albany. Tomorrow night, Dewey is down for a talk in Buffalo, N. Y., at 8 o'clock CWT over NBC. Traveling from there to Boston, he will make stops at Pittsfield and Worcester, Mass. He may spend Thursday in Connecticut and Friday in New Jersey.

Sometime in the course of these travels, a reply is expected to Mr. Roosevelt's Saturday night speech in Chicago, in which he accused the Republicans of having only a "me too" program for meeting the nation's needs.

**Bricker in Michigan**  
Dewey's running mate, Gov. John W. Bricker, campaigned in Michigan today, his work there to be topped by a radio broadcast tonight from Detroit at 8:30 p. m. (CWT, NRC). He announced an eastward swing of 16 speeches to wind up the campaign, four of them hitherto undisclosed to be in the New York-New Jersey - Delaware area.

Democratic emphasis on Massachusetts found Senator Walsh (D-Mass.) declaring "heart and soul for the success of our entire ticket. Walsh frequently criticized the Roosevelt administration on foreign policy grounds prior to Pearl Harbor.

Boston was the scene of a Sunday news conference by Senator Truman, the Democratic vice presidential nominee. Also in on the conference was Andrew J. Higgins, New Orleans shipbuilder backing the fourth term, who said, "whispered questions as to the President's health" are "pure undiluted bunk."

At Washington, James F. Byrnes, war mobilization chief sometimes called "the assistant President," arranged a radio broadcast for 8 p. m. (CWT), under the sponsorship of the Democratic National Committee. Other Washington developments included the release of a report by a subcommittee of the House committee on un-American activities (Dies committee). This said that the CIO political action committee and the National Citizens political action committee "are now the rallying point for the Communist party and its Allied groups and organizations to rise to power by taking control of a major political party."

Chairman Sidney Hillman of the PAC commented, "its charges are just propaganda and falsehoods, which have been repeated many times xxx simply a part of the campaign to defeat the New Deal."

**Election Betting Odds**  
ST. LOUIS, Oct. 30.—(AP)—Odds on President Roosevelt's re-election have been shortened from 3-1 to 1-5 and the odds on Gov. Thomas E. Dewey lengthened from 1-2-1 to 1-3. Betting Commissioner James J. Carroll said today.

Under the new odds bettors must wager \$17 to win \$5 on President Roosevelt's re-election or wager \$1 to win \$3 on the election of Gov. Dewey.

Corral, in releasing his first list of odds by states which show Roosevelt favored to win in 32 and Dewey in 16, said the President is figured to take 370 electoral votes while the states with the Dewey money total 161 electoral votes.

**Held Court in Fairfield**  
A. P. Maye, district judge, held court for District Judge Loy Smith of Eighty-Seventh District Court at Fairfield Friday.

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## Suffered Injuries Traffic Accident

Miss Totsy Tinkle, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Tinkle, Em-

house, had her right arm broken near the shoulder when an automobile she was driving turned over on the Emhouse road about two miles north of Corsicana Friday morning. She apparently suffered

no other injuries. Miss Tinkle said that a tire blow-out caused the car to swerve from the road and turn over. She was brought to the Corsicana Hospital and Clinic in a Suther-

land-McCammon ambulance for treatment. Miss Tinkle was alone in the car at the time of the accident.

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COMPLEXION 21-B KERENS OPPONENT HAS BEEN CHANGED

Results of the past week-end changed the complexion of District 21-B. University of Texas Intercollegiate league, and it now appears almost a cinch that Kerens and Hubbard Jaguars will clash for the title as they did last year. The Jaguars nosed out the Bobcats in a sensational last-minute story-book finish at Tiger Field after the East Navarro countians had had the better of the play for the entire game.

Kerens Bobcats turned on the Frost Polar Bears Friday night with a vengeance to win 54-0, and stamp themselves as the premier B outfit on this immediate section. This eliminated Frost as it was the second loss for the West Navarro countians.

Hubbard and Dawson Bulldogs are now tied in the percentage column as Wortham Bulldogs tied Dawson, 6-6.

Hubbard smothered the Mildred Eagles, 54-0 at Hubbard in one of the most one-sided games of the season. Hubbard also is on a comeback trail as that combination nosed out Frost, 7-6, at Frost last week to end the perfect record of the Polar Bears. Trinidad Tigers got a forfeited game from the disbanded Italy Gladiators, but lost 13-7 to the Rice High crew at Trinidad Friday afternoon.

Week-end games Kerens playing Dawson in Dawson and will be a decided favorite. Hubbard gets a forfeit from Italy. Mildred goes to Blooming Grove and Trinidad invades Wortham.

Standing:

Team	W.	L.	T.	Pct.
Kerens	5	0	0	1.000
Dawson	3	1	1	.700
Hubbard	3	1	1	.700
Wortham	2	2	2	.500
Mildred	1	3	1	.300
Blooming Grove	1	3	1	.300
Trinidad	1	4	1	.250
Italy	0	4	1	.100

Rice High Annexed Game With Palmer

Rice High School football club won their second game in as many days Saturday night when they defeated the Palmer High club, 20-6, to formally open the new lighted field at Palmer. Rice had previously defeated the Trinidad Tigers at Trinidad Friday afternoon, 13-7. A large crowd attended the tussle.

Rice scored on four plays after receiving the ball on the 25-yard line and again within the first six minutes. Palmer scored on a 50 yard pass just before the end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rochelle of Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with Mrs. Rochelle's sister, Mrs. Kelly McKeown.

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CORSICANA FIELD PERSONNEL--The above is a recent picture taken at Corsicana Field, Air Activities of Texas. In the picture--  
First row, left to right: Cpl. John A. Lawrence, Pfc. Raymond R. Glosinski, M-Sgt. Harry Stamm, Cpl. Cel. L. Davis, Sgt. Robert F. A. Schumann, Cpl. James E. Grubb, Cpl. Edwin A. Barrios, T-Sgt. Charles W. Kelly, S-Sgt. Norman W. Cragg, Pfc. Ernest A. Tonnison, Pfc. Ellis A. Archerda, S-Sgt. Oran L. Clark, Cpl. Martin Silberfeld, S-Sgt. Owen G. Elliott, T-Sgt. Collier E. Walker, M-Sgt. Joe L. Rodriguez, and S-Sgt. James D. Carl.  
Second row, left to right: Lt. Franklin M. Warden, Lt. Sirman W. Avera, Capt. Donald J. Hollis, Lt. Robert W. Dibrell, Capt. Willie C. Kennedy, Capt. Lonnie J. Edmondson, Capt. Donald H. McDonald, Major Leonard S. Dingsyner, Mr. Edward F. Booth, Mr. E. D. Criddle, Mr. B. W. Woolley, Capt. Charles E. Martin, Capt. William S. Armstrong, Lt. Claude R. Farrent, Lt. Morris G. Page, Lt. Francis E. Sheggrud, Capt. Paul M. Spencer, Lt. Walter E. L. Deen, and Lt. William R. Brady.  
Back row, left to right: Sgt. George F. Ford, Sgt. Ernest Borasio, Cpl. Arthur B. Bodley, Sgt. George W. Heide, Cpl. Thomas I. Poe, Sgt. Elwood P. Edwards, Cpl. Hubert S. Smith, S-Sgt. Donald G. Fraser, Pvt. Warren D. Bertow, Sgt. William H. Faughn, Cpl. William C. Brenner, S-Sgt. Gene P. Denny, S-Sgt. Manuel R. Cole, S-Sgt. George S. Bates, S-Sgt. Silas G. Fry, S-Sgt. Morris G. Varble, T-Sgt. Joseph J. Staples, S-Sgt. James F. Fuchs, and M-Sgt. Floyd L. Byers. (Photo by Tessie Dickeson)

Information From Navarro County Rationing Board

It is the plan of the district operations office of OPA in Dallas to absorb the Navarro County War Price and Rationing Board in the district mailing center for gasoline allowances within the near future, according to a letter received by W. A. Wright, chairman, from A. J. Ruisinger, district operations office chairman.

Wright said that under that procedure all citizens of Navarro county who receive gasoline coupons would get them from the Dallas district office.

The East Texas Chamber of Commerce, Corsicana Chamber of Commerce, ration board and many individuals in this area have lodged protests in the matter.

The allotments for Navarro county have been received by the war price and ration board, according to an announcement Friday by W. A. Wright, chairman.

"The November tire allotment is still very low and it is going to be difficult in caring for the applications for tires during the next few weeks," the chairman stated.

4-H CLUB NEWS

Emhouse Girls 4-H Club. Fire prevention was the topic discussed at the Emhouse girls 4-H Club Oct. 24. Flo Wetzel was elected recreation leader and Patsy Beckley, bedroom demonstrator. The sponsor, Miss Charlie Collins, was present to help direct the meeting. Cleaning and pressing at home will be the next topic to be discussed.

Lt. Col. John Garner of Fort Bliss, Oklahoma, spent the week-end in Corsicana.

FORMAL OPENING OF SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PLANNED TUESDAY

Open house and formal opening of the Sherwin-Williams Company at 114 S. 1st. Baton street will be held Tuesday. The public is invited to attend.

The retail store is handling: paints, varnishes, a complete gift shop including mirrors, vases, pictures, toys, etc., complete line of wall paper, house cleaning supplies, etc.

The new store will eventually employ six persons. It is located in the building owned by Mrs. Louise Pace King, formerly occupied by the hospitality center.

H. P. Jensen is the manager and he and his wife and little daughter reside at 1007 Summit avenue.

Charles Barnaby, Jr., of Corsicana is cashier.

Family Reunion In Honor of Member U. S. Marine Corps

A family reunion was held in the home of Mrs. Mildred Schuler on Sunday, Oct. 22, to honor Pvt. Florice Shaw, U. S. Marine Corps, who is home on a furlough, and her friend, Corp. Boyd Jones of Belmont, Michigan. Both are stationed at Miramar, Cal.

There were 16 guests present for the occasion. Those from out of town were Miss Bobbie Lee Shaw, Dallas, Corp. and Mrs. A. E. Lasater, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Ray, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Harris, Emhouse and Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Harris, Emhouse. Sgt. Ollie Schuler, who is in England, was the only member of the family absent.

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Activities Among County Home Clubs

White's Chapel Club. Election of 1945 officers at the regular meeting of the White's Chapel, Home Demonstration club Oct. 28, were: Mrs. W. N. Hamilton, president; Mrs. S. A. Wafer, vice president; Mrs. S. A. Beeman, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. R. P. Garrett, council delegate; Mrs. R. P. Garrett and Mrs. Walter Knight, demonstrators.

Council delegate, Mrs. T. A. Wafer, in giving her report stated that next year's program would be on clothing and dairy products.

The club voted to give a sum of money to the Navarro County War Chest.

Nineteen members and three visitors, Miss Peggy Moore, Mrs. P. O'Brien and Mrs. Jesse Danton, were present.

The program for the next meeting will be on "Quick Breads."

Pickett Club.

The Pickett H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. Bill Blood on Oct. 23. Mrs. Vera Sneed gave a demonstration on "What's Cooking."

She prepared a delicious meal from home canned foods. Canned chicken was made into croquettes, string beans and onions were prepared with cheese sauce; a very tasty salad was made from kraut, green peppers, carrots, lettuce and a salad oil, and hasty cobbler was made from a jar of peaches as dessert.

The hostess served corn sticks, drinks and cookies with the meal to twelve members and one new member, Mrs. C. C. Sullivan.

Mrs. Kyle Stokes and Mrs. H. D. Davidson will demonstrate the making of orange bread at the Nov. 13 meeting in the home of Mrs. Bertha Farmer.

Reporter.

Barry PTA Staged Annual Halloween Carnival Friday

The Barry Parent-Teacher Association held their annual Halloween Carnival on Friday evening, in order to augment the organization's treasury.

Lily Bell Wilson and Jerry Wortham were elected King and Queen of the grammar school, but the High School Queen was not determined as the Sophomores and Seniors tie with \$25.00 each to their credit. The Freshmen won third place with \$10.00, and the Juniors were disqualified on account of non-conformity to rules. The total proceeds realized were \$255.00.

Candidates for King and Queen of High School were Freshmen, Gerold Simpson and Patsy Ann Braly.

Sophomores: Charley Ray Watkins and Joyce Ragan.

Seniors: Johnny Ray and Evelyn Lou Brown.

Following the program, Supt. J. L. Cox presented awards to: Seniors, for being the best sports, and to the Sophomores for having secured the best co-operation.

Awards were presented to the champion worker in each class as follows: Seniors: Thomas Joe Parks; Juniors: Lonnie Givens; Sophomores: Joyce Ragan; Freshmen: Lewis Grinnett.

Sponsors of the Carnival were Seniors: Mrs. Percy Varnell; Juniors: Mrs. Elwyn Gay; Sophomores, Dubart Watson.

Texans Killed In Action

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30--(P)--The war department has made public the names of 2,113 United States soldiers killed in action in the European area. The list included the following Texans:

Alexander, 2nd Lt. William L. Mr. and Mrs. William Alexander, parents, 2400 Lancaster St., Big Spring.

Bien, Pvt. Lonnie L. Mrs. Ruth P. Bien, wife, 804 1/2 Baker St., Brownwood.

Hubbard Pvt. Robert B. Mrs. Helen P. Hubbard, wife, 459 W. Henderson, Paris.

Lane, Sgt. Wesley R. Mrs. Willie Elza Lane, wife, 1445 Savannah ave., Port Arthur.

Lovelady Tech. Sgt. Robert A. Mrs. R. A. Lovelady, wife, Route 3, Box 31, Lufkin.

Pitman, Pvt. Jesse E. Mrs. Reba Pitman, wife, Port Arthur.

Sandoval, Sgt. Guadalupe A. Jr. Mrs. Juanita A. Sandoval, mother, 1726 Houston ave., Port Arthur.

Mrs. Frank Taylor of Blooming Grove was a visitor in Corsicana on Saturday afternoon, spending a short time in the home of her sister, Mrs. Callie Marshall, and attending the Nevil Club's Musicales Tea at Kinlos House.

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NEW STEWARDS WERE INSTALLED SUNDAY FIRST METHODIST

An overflow congregation greeted Rev. Erwin F. Bohmfalk, pastor of the First Methodist church, in his final Sunday morning service of this conference year. The stewards for next year were installed by the pastor in a very impressive ceremony and S. W. Birdino, who was installed for his forty-fifth time was given special recognition by the pastor and the congregation in a standing tribute to his long service as a steward in the First Methodist church. Among those installed were eight new stewards.

The pastor preached from the subject, "The Unselfish Profit Motive." The choir, with Mrs. Joyce Martin in the solo part, brought a special number. Miss Dorothy Churchill rendered a violin offertory and Miss Doris Ruth Jacobson was the soloist. The latter two are on the faculty of Mary Hardin-Baylor College at Belton. Church Loyalty Sunday was observed, pledges for next year's church budget were made, and after a statement by the pastor to the effect that every item in the church budget had been put in full, a free will love offering was made for the purchase of additional hymnals for the church. This offering was \$200.

At the night hour the pastor told of the coming annual conference in Mineral Wells Tuesday; expressed the thanks of himself and family for the fine way they had been treated the past year, and stated that while he expected to be returned to Corsicana, this matter would be settled at the conference. The night subject was "Trying to Get Something for Nothing."

Church school, all departments, Sick and Convalescent.

Wesley Johnson is in the P. and S. Hospital suffering from injuries to his head from blows received in an altercation Sunday night.

W. E. Lee, Winkler, is a patient in the P. and S. Hospital.

Mrs. R. D. Batterton is a patient in the P. and S. Hospital.

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Judge McCormick To Make Address

"A Woman's Place in County Government" will be the subject of addresses to be delivered before the North Texas and Texas County Judges and Commissioners association annual conventions during the next few weeks by Beatrice R. McCormick, Navarro county judge. Judge McCormick will address the North Texas County Judges and Commissioners association at Cleburne, Nov. 16-17, while her appearance before the state convention in Galveston will be during the sessions, December, 8-8.

With 24 men in the Brotherhood class to hear a talk by Boyce Martin on phases of church work; Claire Kelton was the leader in the senior department; Miss Norman Larson was the leader in the Fellowship service. Boy Scouts meet tonight; choir rehearsal Thursday night.

FUNERAL SERVICES MRS. J. C. ROBINSON MONDAY AFTERNOON

Funeral services for Mrs. J. C. Robinson, who died at her home in Waco Sunday, were held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Corley Chapel with Rev. Jack Goff conducting the rites. Burial was in Hamilton cemetery.

Surviving are her husband, Waco; a son Billy Carl Robinson, a daughter, Katherine Robinson, Waco; a brother, W. Covington, U. S. Army; two sisters, Mrs. Elton Thompson, Fort Worth; Miss Edith Covington, Corsicana; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Covington, Corsicana, and other relatives.

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A REPUBLICAN Administration that looks after business interests first, and not the farmer, that believes depressions are an act of Providence, and so does nothing about them! Or the DEMOCRATIC Administration that believes in prosperity for ALL, that believes in the American farmer—and that has PROVED it knows how to protect the farmer's interest today and tomorrow.

Three Republican Administrations watched the farmer sink deeper and deeper into the depression . . . AND DID NOTHING ABOUT IT!

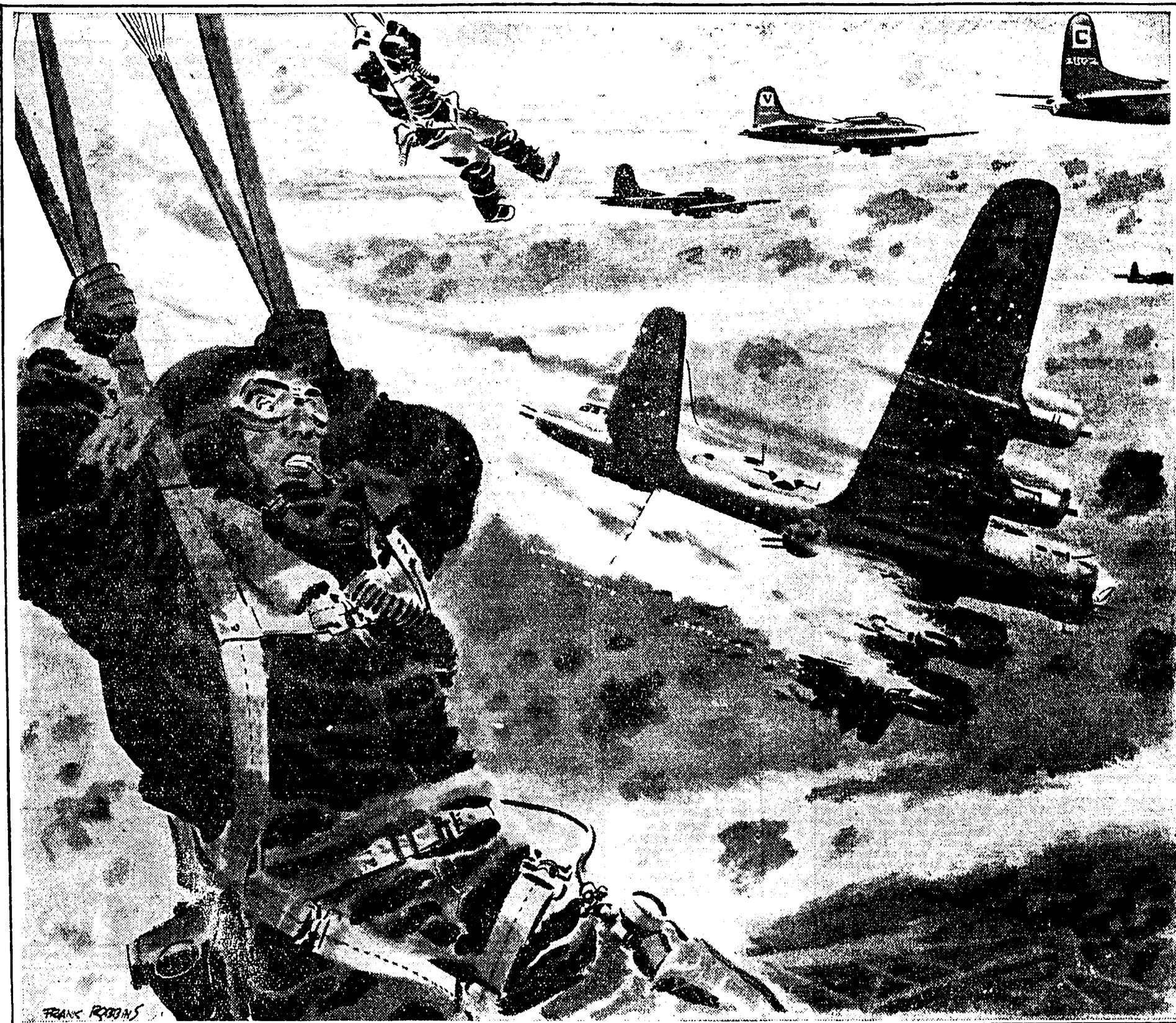
The American Farmer has magnificently justified the faith shown in him by this Administration. Both the Land Banks and Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation have operated at a profit. Millions of farmers have paid off loans, and other millions have cut down their indebtedness. By 1939, farm mortgage debts had shrunk almost a full quarter (instead of going up, up, up as they had under Republican Administrations). And since 1939, farm mortgage debts have decreased another billion dollars.

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# In Just 10 Minutes They'll Need Your Help



BACK HOME, the headlines read — 60 U. S. Planes Lost.

The full news account may mention that 600 airmen were shot down with them. But nowhere will you find mention about how many of those men landed alive and are now in enemy prison camps. There is no way of knowing.

Actually, about 60 per cent of all American airmen shot down over enemy territory survive—as prisoners of war.

Some prison camps are devoted exclusively to airmen. But these camps are little different from the others. In all, the men behind the barbed wire live the same wretched life. There is nothing to do but wait—wait—and try to hold on to your sanity while you wait.

That's why War Prisoners' Aid was formed. It provides the wherewithal to buy for prisoners of war the things that will help them hold on to their sanity during those empty days of waiting. Books. Games. Athletic equipment. Make-up kits for amateur theatricals. Musical instruments.

It takes money to buy these things. More and more money as more and more of our men wind up in prison camps. The only way War Prisoners' Aid can get that money is through your contribution to your local community drive. Your gift is also shared by war refugees, the U.S.O., Merchant Seamen, welfare services here at home. Give once for all these. Give generously.

## And The Big Push Is On!

ON MONDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 30th --- THE FOLLOWING MEN LAUNCHED NAVARRO COUNTY'S BIG PUSH FOR \$56,502.00 --- FOR THE NAVARRO COUNTY WAR CHEST.

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Purdon—A. C. Davis and Mrs. A. J. Snider  
Frost—H. V. Harrison and Curtis Patterson  
Richland—W. L. Hendon  
Blooming Grove—Miller Reid and Bruce McCormick  
Chatfield—Mrs. J. P. Hodge and Earl Easterling

Emhouse—E. C. Butler  
Powell—Oscar L. Bancroft  
Corbet—J. D. Skinner and Miss Mary Jane Massey  
Mildred—H. A. Garland, Miss Mary Patterson and Mrs. W. C. Montgomery  
Zions Rest—R. C. Marshall

Barry—J. L. Cox  
Tupelo - Montfort - Hester—Walter Roberts  
Buffalo—Miss Vivian Ellett  
Bazette—Mrs. L. C. Jones  
Independence—Miss Pearl Simmons  
Long Prairie—Mrs. Jim Norton

Petty's Chapel—Mrs. Ethel Pevehouse  
Pickett—Mrs. Annie M. Marney  
Navarro—Mrs. J. O. Cheney  
Bryan—Mrs. Eva Bolin  
Pursley—Mrs. Ruby Oliver  
Union High—Mrs. James F. Lockerd

Emmett—Mrs. Ollie Daniel  
Alliance Hall—Mrs. Brunette Woodall  
Finch—J. M. McClung  
Wilson—Mrs. Pearl Emerson  
Roane—R. O. Flowers  
Rural Shade—E. B. Batton  
Rice—Clarence Mahaley and C. O. Slaughter

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THIS WEEK WE WILL WRITE IN THE HISTORY A RECORD OF HOW BIG WAS OUR HEARTS!

## Navarro County War Chest

R. R. BROWN, President

R. S. READING, General Chairman







# Notice To Election Judges

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Venice has 177 canals.

Miss Hazel Farmer has returned to her home on West Seventh avenue following a major operation in Denver, Colo. and is able to see her friends.



## NUMBER OF TEXANS WOUNDED IN ACTION ON VARIOUS FRONTS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—(AP)—The War Department made public today the names of 2,074 United States soldiers wounded in action. The list included the following Texans:

Cook, Pfc. Brawney W. Jr.—Mrs. Ruby Kitchens Cook, mother, 705 Maxey, Sherman.  
Hearn, Staff Sgt. Lee S.—Mrs. Julia Hearn, wife, Box 531, Brownwood.

Holder, Pfc. Joe J.—Mrs. Sarah McMillan, mother, 809 Hern St., Austin.

Mohley, Pvt. Jesse L.—Mrs. Mattie Wright, mother, Route 3, Box 125, Tyler.

Norris, Staff Sgt. Edwin—Mrs. Effie I. Norris, mother, 708 West Wilson, St. Tyler.

Parks, Capt. Louis B.—Mrs. Lula B. Parks, mother, 14 South 12th St., Temple.

Pike, Pvt. John H.—Mrs. Rose-lee Pike, wife, 616 South Main, Borger.

Mediterranean Area:

Brecheen, Staff Sgt. James H.—Mrs. Martha M. Brecheen, wife, 3103 Cumberland St., Wichita Falls.

Carrillo, Pfc. Francisco D.—Mrs. Elisia Carrillo, mother, San Angelo.

Castillo, Pvt. Victor D.—Mrs. Gaudalupo Castillo, mother, 2021 Mary St., Corpus Christi.

Contreras, Pvt. Miguel—Mrs. Reyes Contreras, mother, McAllen.

Cordero, Sgt. Antonio N.—Mrs. Maria N. Maldonado, mother, 315 South Florence St., El Paso.

Cox, Pvt. Alex A.—Mrs. Lena A. Cox, wife, 1006 North Cleveland St., Sherman.

Highfill, Pfc. Paul J.—Mrs. Myrtle P. Highfill, wife, 1649 Orange St., Abilene.

Platz, 2nd Lt. John E. Jr.—John E. Platz, father, 416 Main St., Texarkana.

Rush, 2nd Lt. Ward D.—Mrs. Mary M. Rush, wife, 2385 Emile, Beaumont.

Southwest Pacific Area:

Aaron, Pfc. Virgil—Mrs. Peggy J. Aaron, wife, Lower Charley road, Wichita Falls.

Acker, Staff Sgt. Arthur V.—Miss Peggy O'Neal, friend, 113 East



IN MERCHANT MARINE—Claude Slaughter, Jr., 16, U. S. Merchant Marine, recently visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Claude Slaughter, Sr., 411 West Eleventh avenue, on his return from a trip to England. Previous to entering the service five months ago he attended Junior High school. He rejoined his ship at Galveston.

13th Ave., Amarillo.

Allen, Pfc. Frederick C.—Mrs. Elizabeth Allen, mother, Beaumont.

Boyd, 2nd Lt. George L.—John L. Boyd, father, 1101 East Bowie St., Marshall.

Bynum, Cpl. Joe E.—Lloyd F. ynum, father, Route 2, Abilene.

Bynum, Cpl. Raymond R.—C. B. Bynum, father, Route 2, Abilene.

Hudson, Sgt. James H.—Mrs. Lucille Hudson, mother, 1818 Piedra China, Laredo.

Hufstader, Pfc. Charles E.—A. E. Hufstader, father, 2132 South 3rd St., Abilene.

Hutchins, Pfc. Hollis F.—Jack Hutchins, father, route 1, Abilene.

Locy, Capt. William A.—Mrs. Maxine L. Locy, wife, 608 Melton St., Longview.

Merrill, Pvt. Paul W.—Mrs. Margaret Merrill, mother, 409 Moore St., Waco.

Muncus, Pvt. Hubert J.—William T. Muncus, father, 3116 Savannah St., El Paso.

Parrott, Pvt. Garland L.—Mrs. Louetta Parrott, mother, Fufkin.

Sierra, Pvt. Jesse—Mrs. Guilmina Sierra, mother, 114 14th St., Galveston.

Thompson, Pfc. Wylie E.—Mrs. Lydia Mae Thompson, mother, 413 Hummingbird Lane, Tyler.

Turner, Pvt. Ray E.—Samuel L. Turner, father, 424 East Ferguson, Tyler.

Valerio, Pvt. Felipe—Mrs. Lon-jina Valerio, mother, 3614 Oro St., El Paso.

Welchik, 2nd Lt. Frank C., Jr.—Frank C. Welchik, father, 608 West Ave. G, Temple.

Football Players Received Injuries

Two members of football teams received treatment at the Navarro clinic Friday night from injuries received in tussels in which their clubs were mauled by the opposition.

Charles Haden Hooser, member of the Frost Polar Bear club, received treatment for a dislocated shoulder received at Kerens. The Kerens club won over Frost, 47-0.

Melton Sheppard, member of the Mildred club, received treatment for a foot injury received in playing the Hubbard Jaguars. Hubbard won over Mildred, 54-0. Both youngsters later were discharged from the clinic.

Cemetery Association.

RICHLAND, Oct. 27.—(Spl.)—New officers were elected at an all-day meeting of the cemetery association, at which time there was lots of work done and a delicious lunch served to all present.—Richland Cemetery Association.

Mrs. Andrew McClung of Kerens was a spend-the-day visitor in Corsicana on Friday.

## BAPTIST STANDING COMMITTEES NAMED FOR ENSUING YEAR

Standing committees for the ensuing year of the First Baptist church have been announced as follows by Roy Bristow, chairman of the board of deacons, with this first named on the committees as chairman:

Finance—C. A. Middleton, M. A. Tokell, Hood Cheney, C. C. Roberts, N. Suttle Roberts, Joe E. Butler, Mrs. S. L. Dublin.

Mrs. Ben Blackmon, Mrs. Byron Cheney and Mrs. M. W. Simpson.

Pulpit—T. L. Tyson, J. C. Calhoun, F. V. Williams, Miss Virginia Roberts and Mrs. Ethel Cannon.

House—Travis Fullwood, Lewis Foster, Mrs. Scott Lowry and Mrs. Hubert Braselton.

Education—R. A. Purifoy, L. E. Dawson, J. R. Howell, Mrs. C. A. Middleton, and Mrs. J. C. Browning.

Reception—W. M. Hurley, T. B. Kirkham, S. S. Crain. Truly Etheredge, Clark Butler and June Clark.

Ushers—Virgil Williamson, B. L. Butler, Hoyt Moore, A. Scott Lowry, Frank Ware and L. J. White.

Collection—T. A. Blakeney, Joe M. Seale and E. L. Klutts.

Music—Mrs. Roy Bristow, M. A. Surgeon, Mrs. E. F. Wright and S. K. Brletz.

Lords Supper—Mrs. W. M. Hurley, W. M. Taylor, Mrs. M. Smotherman and Mrs. Wilbur Thompson.

Baptism—O. E. Stone, Guy Love, J. R. Donnell, Mrs. Jennie Hawwell and Mrs. Eugene High-note.

Hostess—Mrs. Guy Love, Mrs. Clark Butler, Mrs. Joe Butler, Mrs. M. E. Lake and Mrs. M. A. Teell.

City Missions—J. S. Beauchamp, W. M. Bivin, Mrs. A. G. Smith, Mrs. O. E. Stone and Z. T. Eanks.

Light-Ventilation—Alva Taylor, Curry Butler, T. U. Bowden and O. W. Allison.

Service Men—Mrs. Hood Cheney, Mrs. T. B. Kirkham, Mrs. O. M. Rector, J. C. Buie and A. M. Estes.

Auditing—A. Scott Lowry and Hoyt Moore.

Telephone—W. M. Taylor.

Recreation—Mrs. I. R. Howell, Mrs. Virgil Williamson, Mrs. Walter Hayes, Paul Moore and C. O. Ferguson.

Library—Mrs. J. C. Buie, Mrs. Earl Boyd, Mrs. T. L. Tyson and J. C. Watson.

LARGE CROWD WAS PRESENT AT ANNUAL FOX HUNT FRIDAY

Hundreds of sportsmen attended the annual meeting of the Navarro County Fox and Wolf Hunters Association at the E. E. Smith pasture, five miles south of Kerens Friday night.

Continued dry weather in that area for many weeks detracted from the ability of the hounds to track the fox, but several races were staged despite this handicap. There were a number of fine packs of fox dogs on hand for the occasion.

Fred M. Copeland of Purley county commissioner, is president of the association and presided Friday night.

Following the fine barbecue picnic late Friday afternoon, the members and guests were entertained with string band music before the bench show got underway about 8 p. m. A number of fine dogs were entered in this competition.

Scores of Kerens citizens attended the early sessions of the meeting, returned to Kerens for the Frost-Kerens football game in District 21-B and then came back to the fox hunt meet for the late races.

Lieut. Judith Polk Bennett has written her parents that she has arrived safely in the South Pacific, but that her assignment will carry her still farther into that theater of operations.

## REV. J. I. CARLIDGE DISTRICT CHAIRMAN TRUETT MEMORIAL

Rev. Jared I. Carlidge, pastor of the First Baptist church here, is the District 14 chairman in the campaign to raise \$120,000 for the Truett Memorial Building at Baylor University Hospital and new buildings for the Baylor College of Dentistry and School of Nursing in Dallas, according to an announcement. District 14 embraces the Corsicana, Falls County, Freestone-Leon, Hill County, Leon River, Limestone, Meridian, Robertson County and Waco Baptist associations.

Truett Memorial Day, in honor of the late Dr. George W. Truett, world-famous Baptist leader of Texas, will be observed in all North Texas Baptist churches Sunday, as the 400,000 Baptist laymen of North, Central and East Texas districts launch their part in the campaign to construct the \$1,650,000 Truett Memorial Building at Baylor Hospital in Dallas.

The campaign fund will total \$2,400,000, with the people of greater Dallas raising half and Baptists outside of Dallas contributing the other half. The Truett Memorial Building will double the present capacity of the hospital. Dr. Truett served on the Baylor Hospital board from its organization in 1903 until his death this year.

URGENT APPOINTMENT DR. A. M. M'AFEE AS UNIVERSITY REGENT

A movement urging Gov. Coke R. Stevenson to appoint Dr. A. M. McAfee of Port Arthur as a regent of the University of Texas is being sponsored by newspapers and exes in Southeast Texas, according to recent editorials in the Beaumont and Port Arthur papers.

Dr. McAfee, native of Corsicana and graduate of Corsicana High school, is one of the outstanding chemists of America and holds about 40 patents dealing with petroleum products. He graduated from the University of Texas in 1908 and was awarded a Ph.D. degree by Columbia in 1911.

Dr. McAfee has served as president of the University of Texas Ex-Students Association and has long been prominent in ex-student affairs.

The famous chemist is a brother of LeRoy and Terry McAfee and Mrs. Ross Sutton, all of Corsicana.

Attend Bricker Meeting.

Prominent Navarro county Republicans attending the Bricker address in Dallas Wednesday included:

Mose Blumrosen, W. L. Roberts, Hugh Loper, Robert Pardee, Sr., H. O. Thornton and Luby Nolan.

Visiting Family.

Pvt. E. D. McCormick, U. S. Army Medical detachment, San Antonio, is spending the week-end with his family here.

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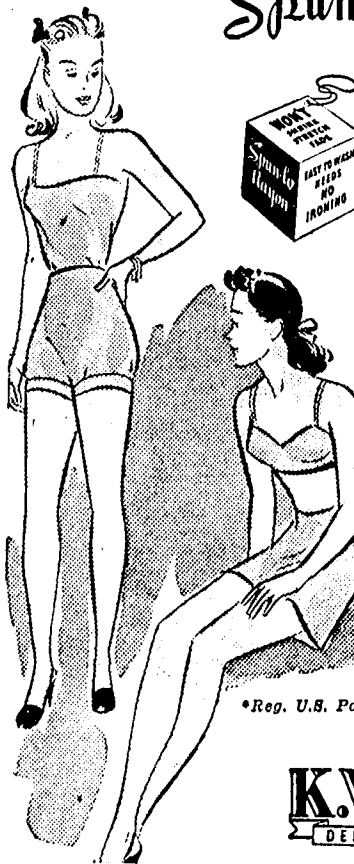
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